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HEADQUARTERS XXI CORPS
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SUBJECT: Commendation.

TO : Commanding Officer, 827th Tank Destroyer Battalion,
U. S. Army.

1. The operations of the XXI Corps in the Colmar area have been successfully completed. Colmar has been liberated and the enemy has been driven to the east of the Rhine.

2. The success of these operations has been due to the loyalty, the gallantry and the unselfish devotion to duty of the many thousands of officers, and enlisted men of the units that constitute the XXI Corps.

3. The 827th Tank Destroyer Battalion was particularly outstanding in these operations. It performed its assigned missions with great enthusiasm. It completed these missions successfully, contributing materially thereby to the great victory achieved by our units.

4. I wish to commend you, the officers, and the enlisted men of the 827th Tank Destroyer Battalion for the superior manner in which they performed during these operations. Their actions were superb, and they reflect the finest traditions of the Armies of the United States.

/s/t/ F. W. MILBURN,
Major General, U. S. Army,
Commanding.

A true copy.

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